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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b), Applicants hereby petition  
for revival of the above-identified application for patent  
abandoned unintentionally. The above-identified application  
became abandoned for failure to file a timely reply to a  
Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) mailed July 11,  
2001.

A copy of the Notice of Abandonment mailed November 3,  
2003 is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)  
- Filing Date Granted mailed July 11, 2001 is attached hereto

as Exhibit B.

A reply to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) - Filing Date Granted along with an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney are attached hereto as Exhibit C.

A signed Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form are also attached hereto as Exhibit C.

It is submitted that since the above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

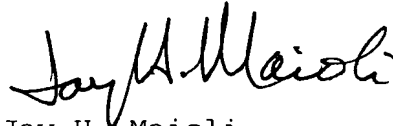
The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

It is respectfully submitted that the late Oath or Declaration surcharge and patent assignment recording fee have been previously submitted with the Response to File Missing Parts filed May 31, 2001 in the present application.

The petition fee for other than a small entity under 37 CFR 1.17(m) is submitted herewith. Any deficiency or overpayment of fees should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Revival of the above-identified application and an early and favorable examination on the merits are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,  
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ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION  
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## NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 07/11/2001.

- No reply was received.


A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNAVOIDABLE DELAY** must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(l); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNINTENTIONAL DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282. Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

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## NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

*Filing Date Granted*

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 06/04/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 05/07/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.

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